

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS18175

Title 22, Chapter 32, Idaho Code was enacted in 1952. It requires only that producers of artificial rainfall register with the Department of Agriculture and file a log of activities. There is no provision for rule-making or penalties for failing to register or file an activity log. Besides the Idaho Department of Agriculture, producers must file with the Idaho Department of Water Resources, Idaho Bureau of Homeland Security, and the Federal Office of Oceanic and Atmospheric Research. Under the current statute, the Department of Agriculture does not have the authority or resources to adequately administer the current statute, and in light of the other agencies involved, feels it would be best if this act was repealed.

FISCAL NOTE

None.

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